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IN RE APPLICATION OF :
REINHOLD J. LEYRER, ET AL. : ATTN: APPLICATION DIVISION
SERIAL NO: NEW U.S. PCT APPLICATION :
(BASED ON PCT/EP02/09657)
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FOR: LASER GAIN MEDIUM FOR SOLID :
STATE DYE LASERS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
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SIR:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Discussion of the Amendment begins on page 4 of this paper.